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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Jean PREVOST  
Appl. No.: 09/988,783 ✓  
Filed: November 20, 2001 ✓  
For: SYNTHETIC TURF ✓

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Examiner: Wendy L. BOSS

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 14, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Non-Final Office Action dated March 13, 2003, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to July 13, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**This reply includes:**

**Claims Set as Amended.**

The amendments presented herein comply with the "Revised Amendment Format" as set forth in the Official Gazette Notice dated February 25, 2003. In accordance with the Notice, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(a)-(d) are waived.

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SMALL ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

July 14, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via facsimile.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	28	-	28	=	0	\$ 9	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	2	-	3	=	0	\$ 42	\$0.00
___ FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE CLAIM						\$140	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

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- ☒ Petition for one (1) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$55.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of **\$55.00** is(are) enclosed for the extension of time, additional claims, Terminal Disclaimer and Information Disclosure Statement filing fees.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.


Respectfully submitted,

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